(இ) தனியார் கல்லூரிகளில் இந்த சம்பள விகிதம் கொடுக்காமலிருப்பது சர்க்காருக்குத் தெரியுமா ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (அ) and (இ) The Government have decided that the scales of pay recommended by the State Pay Commission would be adequate for teachers in Government and in non-Government Colleges. Grants to non-Government Colleges will be assessed only on the basis of these scales. It is however, open to managements of Colleges to adopt the University Grants Commission scales with the said admissible on the Madras Pay Commission scales.

Mid-day meal scheme.

* 735 *Q.*—SRI A. KUNJAN NADAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government are aware that in certain schools only pupils coming from middle class families are benefited by the mid-day meal scheme ;

(*b*) whether the poor pupils who are not able to contribute are denied either meals or kanji in certain schools;

(*c*) whether in some schools meals are served to the rich and kanji to the poor pupils ; and

(*d*) if so, whether the Government intend to take immediate steps to stop this practice of discrimination ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) to (*c*) The Government are not aware of such cases.

(*d*) Does not arise.

செல்லூருக்கு போலீஸ் நிலையம்

* 736 கேள்வி.—திருமதி பி. கே. ஆர். லட்சுமிகாந்தம் : கனம் நிதி அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

மதுரையில் வடகரையில் செல்லூர் பகுதியில் போலீஸ் ஸ்டேஷன் ஒன்று ஏற்படுத்த உத்தேசமுண்டா ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : It has been decided to open a Police station at Sellur Madurai Town North Circle.

Lime mortar (manufacture)

* 737 *Q.*—SRI S. MADHAVAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state whether the Government have any proposal to start a factory to manufacture ' Surky or lime mortar ' in dry powder form on a large scale to over-come the shortage of cement ?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : No, Sir.